

US ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
OFFICE OF PESTICIDES PROGRAMS
REGISTRATION DIVISION (75-767)
WASHINGTON, DC 20460

EPA REGISTRATION NO.

59977-2

DATE OF ISSUANCE

19 JAN 1994

TERM OF ISSUANCE

Conditional

NAME OF PESTICIDE PRODUCT

BUSHWHACKER Fire Ant Control-DADDY
WHACKER

NOTICE OF PESTICIDE: REGISTRATION
 REREGISTRATION
(Under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide,
and Rodenticide Act, as amended)

NAME AND ADDRESS OF REGISTRANT (Include ZIP code)

Reg # 59977-2

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Bushwhacker Associates, Incorporated
Division of Bethurum Research & Development, Incorporated
P.O. Box 3436
Galveston, Texas 77552

NOTE: Changes in labeling formula differing in substance from that accepted in connection with this registration must be submitted to and accepted by the Registration Division prior to use of the label in commerce. In any correspondence on this product always refer to the above U.S. EPA registration number.

On the basis of information furnished by the registrant, the above named pesticide is hereby Registered/Reregistered under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act.

A copy of the labeling accepted in connection with this Registration/Reregistration is returned herewith.

Registration is in no way to be construed as an indorsement or approval of this product by this Agency. In order to protect health and the environment, the Administrator, on his motion, may at any time suspend or cancel the registration of a pesticide in accordance with the Act. The acceptance of any name in connection with the registration of a product under this Act is not to be construed as giving the registrant a right to exclusive use of the name or to its use if it has been covered by others.

This product is conditionally registered in accordance with FIFRA section 3(c)(7)(A) provided that you:

1. Submit/cite all data required for registration/reregistration of your product under FIFRA section 3(c)(5) when the Agency requires all registrants of similar products to submit such data; and submit acceptable responses required for reregistration of your product under FIFRA section 4.
2. Add the phrase "EPA Registration No. 59977-2" to the label prior to releasing the product for shipment.
3. Revise the IF IN EYES portion of the STATEMENT OF PRACTICAL TREATMENT section as follows:

IF IN EYES: Remove contacts if present and flush eyes with plenty of water. Obtain medical attention if irritation persists.
4. Add the following statement to the product label: Do not use in areas where children or pets may gain access.
5. The use directions for the referenced product indicate the following: "For best results, use a registered fire ant product that can provide a quick knockdown inside the junction boxes or transformers to allow service personnel to perform immediate maintenance". You may wish to include this statement on the proposed product label to clarify the DIRECTIONS FOR USE.

ATTACHMENT IS APPLICABLE

SIGNATURE OF APPROVING OFFICIAL

Robert Brenner

DATE

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6. Revise the STORAGE AND DISPOSAL section of the product label as follows:

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

STORAGE: Store in a dry place. Do not store where children or animals main gain access. Keep lid tightly closed when not in use.

DISPOSAL: Do not reuse empty container. Wrap container in several layers of newspaper and discard in trash.

7. Submit one (1) copy of your final printed labeling before you release the product for shipment. Refer to the A-79 enclosure for a further description of final printed labeling.

If these conditions are not complied with, the registration will be subject to cancellation in accordance with FIFRA section 6(e). Your release for shipment of the product constitutes acceptance of these conditions. A stamped copy of the label is enclosed for your records.

Sincerely,



Mr. Robert S. Brennis
Acting Product Manager 10
Insecticide-Rodenticide Branch
Registration Division

Enclosures

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BUSHWHACKER

Fire Ant Control

DADDY WHACKER

Active Ingredient: Boric acid.....	18.0%
Inert Ingredients:	82.0%
Total	100.0%

ACCEPTED
with COMMENTS
in EPA Letter Dated
19 JAN 1994
Under the Federal Insecticide,
Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act
as amended, for the pesticide
registered under EPA Reg. No.
59977-2

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

CAUTION

See Back Panel for Additional Cautions and Directions

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EPA EST. NO. 59977-TX-1

Bushwhacker Associates, Inc.
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NET CONTENTS: 6 oz (170 grams)*

*Note: Additional sizes - 3 oz (85 grams); 1/4 oz (7 grams)

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BUSHWHACKER

Fire Ant Control

LIL WHACKER

Active Ingredient: Boric acid.....	18.0%
Inert Ingredients:	<u>82.0%</u>
Total	100.0%

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

CAUTION

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EPA EST. NO. 59977-TX-1

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NET CONTENTS: 3 oz (85 grams)*

*Note: Additional sizes - 1/4 oz (7 grams); 6 oz (170 grams)

BUSHWHACKER

Fire Ant Control

TINY WHACKER

Active Ingredient: Boric acid.....	18.0%
Inert Ingredients:	<u>82.0%</u>
Total	100.0%

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

CAUTION

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EPA EST. NO. 59977-TX-1

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PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

HAZARD TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

CAUTION

Harmful if swallowed. May cause eye irritation. Avoid contact with skin, eyes, or clothing. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling.

STATEMENT OF PRACTICAL TREATMENT

- IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water.
- IF IN EYES: Wash with plenty of water. Get medical Attention if irritation persists.
- IF SWALLOWED: Call a physician or Poison Control Center.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

It is a violation of Federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling.

BUSHWHACKER™ is very easy and convenient to apply. For Lil Whacker and Daddy Whacker simply remove the seal at the bottom of the container and lay on its side. For Tiny Whacker simply remove the lid and discard, place upright in a sheltered area in electrical switches, etc. BUSHWHACKER™ is collected by the forager ants and distributed throughout the colony to kill the queen and brood.

APPLICATION DIRECTIONS FOR SPOT TREATMENT

Electrical boxes: Use BUSHWHACKER™ in all electrical sites where fire ants may be found, such as water pumps, electrical traffic signals, air conditioners, telephone junction boxes and all electrical transmission areas. Apply BUSHWHACKER™ bait stations to maintain a long term fire ant free environment. Fresh BUSHWHACKER™ should be added or re-applied any time that transformers, junction boxes, etc. are re-opened for inspection.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL:

Storage: Store in a dry place. Do not store where children or animals may gain access. Keep lid tightly closed when not in use.

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Disposal: Do not reuse empty container. Puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill or incineration or if allowed by state and local authorities, by burning. If burned, stay out of smoke.

Pesticide Disposal: Waste resulting from use of this product may be disposed of on-site or at an approved waste disposal facility.

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WARRANTY LIMITATIONS AND DISCLAIMER

Bethurum Research and Development, Inc. warrants that this product conforms to the chemical description on the label when used in strict accordance with the directions therein under normal conditions of use. THIS IS THE ONLY WARRANTY MADE ON THIS PRODUCT. NO OTHER EXPRESS AND IMPLIED WARRANTY OF MERCHANTABILITY OR FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE IS MADE OUTSIDE OF THIS LABEL.